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House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who admirably have dedicated their time and energy to helping state government provide its much-needed services and programs in the efficient, effective manner mandated by the public; and

Whereas, Joe Kitchell Evans of Kirkwood has attained considerable distinction as a Computer Audit Manager for the Missouri Department of Revenue, Division of Taxation and Collection, Field Audit of Saint Louis, a professional calling which he will draw to a close on July 29, 2005, in well-deserved retirement after eighteen years of service; and

Whereas, a former End User Computer Coordinator, Joe Evans proved to be instrumental with the Computer Assisted Audit Program, Manual Random Sampling Program, and FTA/MTC Task Force on Legal Issues and Electronic Auditing; and

Whereas, Joe Evans helped ensure the highest standards of conduct and performance in his chosen field of endeavor through his membership in the Association of Government Accounts and his certification as a Government Financial Manager; and

Whereas, Joe Evans brought to his work with the Missouri Department of Revenue a wealth of expertise which he had garnered from earlier employment as an instructor of instrumental and vocal music, computer systems consultant, and lecturer in computer information systems at Southwest Missouri State University; and

Whereas, the beloved husband of Carol S. Evans, Joe Evans is the loving father of Sarah C. Evans and Susan R. Evans:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the contributions so generously given by Joe Evans during his eighteen years with the Missouri Department of Revenue and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as he partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Joe Kitchell Evans of Kirkwood, Missouri.

Rod Jetton, Speaker